

HOUSE BILL 756
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AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 50,
Chapter 6, relative to workers' compensation
payments to injured workers who are confined in
prison or jail.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 50-6-205(a), is amended by
designating the existing language of the subsection as subdivision (a)(1) and by adding the
following language as a new subdivision (a)(2):

(2) No compensation shall be allowed for any period of disability resulting from
the injury during which the worker is confined in a jail or a correctional institution due to a
conviction.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.